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**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF WEST VIRGINIA**

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

v.

**KATELYN MICHELLE STEINMETZ, and
JALON MICHAEL ALBRIGHT,**

Defendants.

**U.S. DISTRICT COURT- NDWV
MARTINSBURG, WV 25401**

Criminal No.

3:24CR 32

Violations:

**18 U.S.C. § 2
18 U.S.C. § 922(a)(6)
18 U.S.C. § 924(a)(2)**

INDICTMENT

The Grand Jury charges that:

COUNT ONE

(False Statement in Application for Firearm)

On or about December 16, 2023, in Mineral County, in the Northern District of West Virginia, defendant, **KATELYN MICHELLE STEINMETZ**, aided and abetted by defendant **JALON MICHAEL ALBRIGHT**, in connection with the attempted acquisition of a firearm, that is a Glock 22, .40 caliber pistol, serial number WPD821, from a licensed dealer of firearms, did knowingly make a false written statement that was intended and likely to deceive such dealer with respect to a fact material to the lawfulness of the sale of such firearm, that is, the defendant, **KATELYN MICHELLE STEINMETZ**, was the actual buyer of the firearm when she knew, in fact, that she was not; in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 2, and Title 18, United States Code, Sections 922(a)(6), and 924(a)(2).

COUNT TWO

(False Statement in Application for Firearm)

On or about December 16, 2023, in Monongalia County, in the Northern District of West Virginia, defendant, **KATELYN MICHELLE STEINMETZ**, aided and abetted by defendant **JALON MICHAEL ALBRIGHT**, in connection with the acquisition of a firearm, that is a Glock 27 Gen5, .40 caliber pistol, serial number BTSS026, from a licensed dealer of firearms, did knowingly make a false written statement that was intended and likely to deceive such dealer with respect to a fact material to the lawfulness of the sale of such firearm, that is, the defendant, **KATELYN MICHELLE STEINMETZ**, was the actual buyer of the firearm when she knew, in fact, that she was not; in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 2, and Title 18, United States Code, Sections 922(a)(6), and 924(a)(2).

A True Bill,

/s/
Grand Jury Foreperson

/s/
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